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#### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment and a check (\$27), for the excess claims, for filing with the above-referenced application.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 in connection with this paper or with this application during its entire pendency to Deposit Account No. 50-1213. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-captioned patent application, entry of the amendments to claims and specification are respectfully requested.

### IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows;

at page 2, line 5, please replace "approximatly" with —approximately—;

at page 2, line 22, please replace "compositions" with —compositions—;

at page 6, line 28, please replace "decompostition" with —decomposition—;

at page 9, line 21, please replace "boundry" with -boundary-;

at page 10, line 24, please replace "specifications" with -specification-;

at page 12, line 19, please replace smaple with -sample;

at page 14, line 8, please replace "definition" with -definition-;

at page 14, line 12, please replace "Alternatively" with —Alternatively—;

at page 14, line 16, please replace "tabt" with -that-;

at page 15, line 13, please replace "defintion" with —definition—

at page 15, line 13, please replace "apllicable" with -applicable;

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at page 16, line 5, please replace "prevnets" with -prevents-

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